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1. The artillery ammunition depot of the 6th Gds Mecc Div is located near Eberswalde /See Point #1, Encl (A)/. This depot had formerly been used by the German Army as an artillery depot. The depot was about 100 m. off the highway, and although it was located inside a forest, the fence and guard towers could be seen from the highway. [redacted] the area was about $1\frac{1}{2}$ x $1\frac{1}{2}$ km.. It was fenced off with a double barbed wire fence about 2 m. high.

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2. In December 1951 [] part of the area inside the compound was fenced off and installations were built to house engineering equipment, e.g., pontoons and trucks. of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army. []

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3. The depot was guarded by about 35 men of the Mtz Rifle Bns of the 17th Gds Mecz Regt, who were on duty every second day, alternating garrison training with guard duty. The men were on duty two hours and were off four. The depot had nine guard posts and a wooden look-out tower four m. in height at each corner of the area. No searchlights or dogs were employed in enhancing the security of the area.

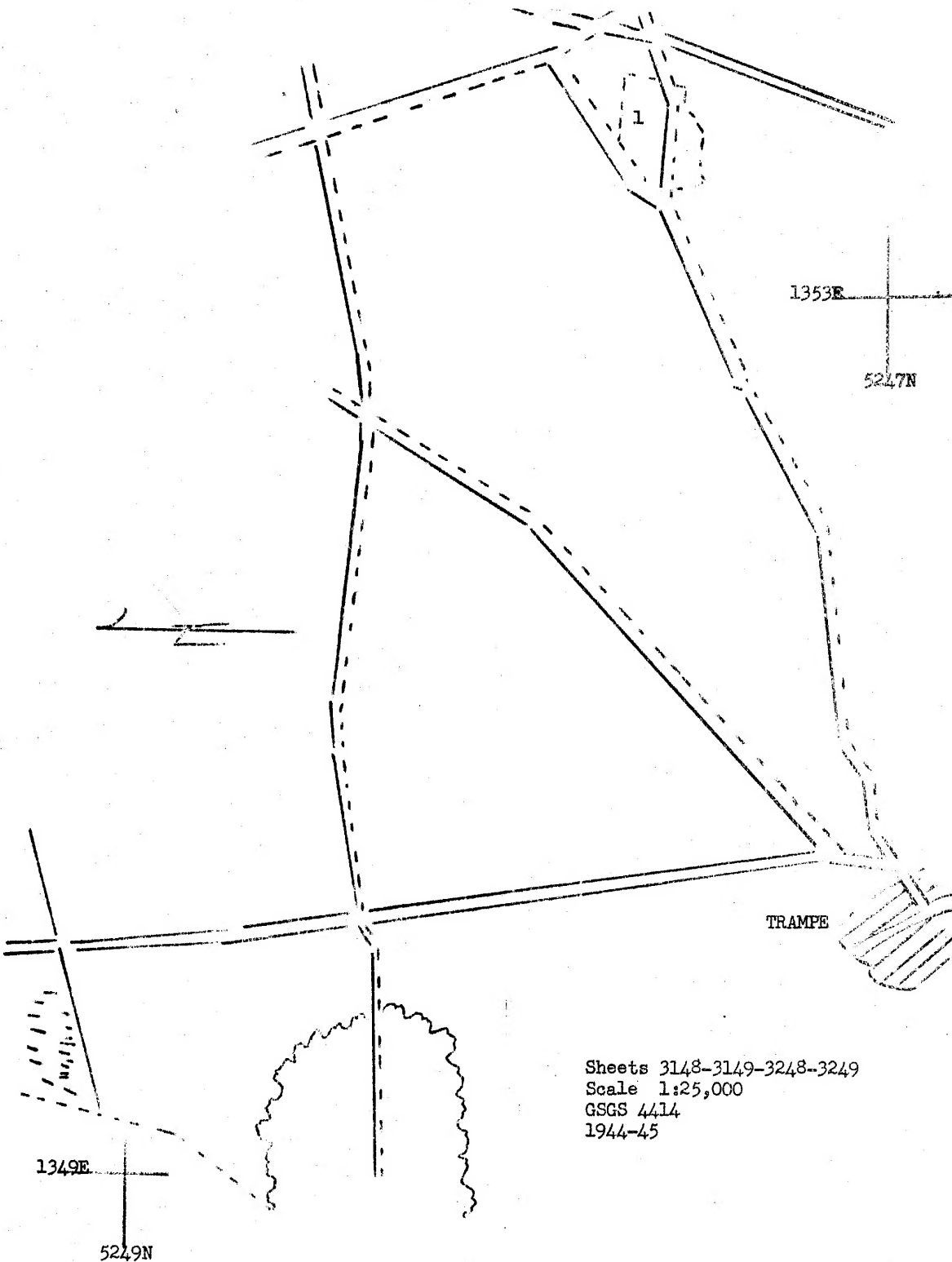
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